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**FEE TRANSMITTAL****for FY 2005** Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$ 2400.00)**Complete If Known**

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
	Fee(\$)	Small Entity Fee(\$)	Fee(\$)	Small Entity Fee(\$)	Fee(\$)	Small Entity Fee(\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	\$
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	\$
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	\$
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	\$
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	\$

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description

	Small Entity
Fee(\$)	Fee(\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50 25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200 100
Multiple dependent claims	360 180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee(\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
- 20 or HP =	x	\$	\$0.00	Fee(\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

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16 - 4 (HP) =	12 x	\$200.00	\$2400.00	\$	\$

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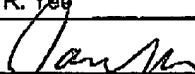
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated November 23, 2006, please amend the application as follows. Amended paragraphs and a version of all pending claims and their current status are presented having necessary markings to show any changes made in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121.

**Amendments to the Claims – are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2;**

**Remarks/Arguments - begin on page 19 of this paper.**

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